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UNIVERSITY AND EDUCATIONAL NEWS.

IT is said that Yale University will receive about $171,000 as the residuary legatee of the estate of Edward Wells Southworth.

THE jubilee of Sydney University was celebrated on October 1. Chancellor MacLaurin presided, and addresses of congratulation were presented from British, colonial, and foreign universities. Professor Tucker, of Melbourne, delivered an address on behalf of the Australian universities, and Professor Baldwin Spencer spoke for the English universities.

THE fourth annual conference of the Association of American Universities will be held at Columbia University on December 29, 30, and 31. The preliminary program includes the presentation of papers and reports on 'The Certificate Method of Admission to Colleges and Universities (a) from Accredited Schools and (b) from Schools not Examined by the Admitting University or Formally Accredited'; 'Uniformity of University Statistics (a) of Enrolment and (b) of Expenditures'; 'The Report of the Executive Committee on Membership,' and 'The Requirements for Admission to Professional Schools.'

GEN. ALEXANDER STEWART WEBB has resigned the presidency of the College of the City of New York which he has held since 1869.

THE Rev. Edward A. Pace, Ph.D., has been appointed director of the Institute of Pedagogy which the Catholic University of Washington has established in New York City. The Rev. Thomas E. Shields, Ph.D., of St. Paul, has been appointed instructor of physiological psychology in the Catholic University of Washington, filling the place vacant by Professor Pace's removal to New York.

DR. FRANCIS L. PATTON, formerly president of Princeton University, has been elected president of the Princeton Theological Seminary.

DR. HENRY A. PERKINS has been elected professor of physics in Trinity College.

DR. ADDINELL HEWSON, demonstrator of anatomy in Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, has been promoted to an assistant professorship.

THE following appointments have recently been made in the medical school of the University of Pennsylvania: Dr. J. L. Gates, assistant demonstrator of pathology; Dr. Hidaya Noguchi, assistant in pathology; and Dr. John T. Carpenter, Jr., instructor in ophthalmology.

MR. DE PENCIER, B.Sc., has been appointed to a newly established assistant professorship of mining in McGill University.

MR. C. F. MYERS WARD, professor of physiology at University College, Sheffield, has been appointed lecturer in physiology in the Charing Cross Hospital Medical School, in succession to Mr. Benjamin Moore, who has recently been elected to the newly-established chair of biological chemistry in the University College, Liverpool.

IN consequence of the removal of Mr. Gilchrist, the head of the agricultural department at Reading College, to a similar position at Newcastle College, the department has been reorganized, and, after a series of sittings, the executive on Saturday made the following appointments: To be lecturer in agricultural botany and director of the agricultural department, Mr. John Percival, vice-principal of the South-Eastern Agricultural College at Wye; to be lecturer in the practice of agriculture, Mr. J. O. Peet; to be lecturer in dairy farming and dairy bacteriology, Mr. C. W. Walker-Tisdale; to be director of the horticultural department, Mr. Frederick Keeble, lecturer in botany at University College, Reading; to be lecturer in horticulture and keeper of the gardens, Mr. William H. Patterson.

DR. E. COHEN, of Amsterdam, has been called to the professorship of inorganic and physical chemistry at Utrecht.

DR. HERMANN KLEIN has been appointed professor of astronomy at the University of Cologne.

DR. EUGEN DUBOIS has been called to the professorship of paleontology in the University of Amsterdam.